

FIELD BATTERIES.

Competition for Gzowski Cup.

To be competed for on parade during annual drill by the four subdivisions of the Battery. The prizes to be awarded to the Batteries performing the conditions in the shortest average time.

CONDITIONS :

Nine-pounder gun and limber, four horses. Four detachments each, to consist of 1 N.-C. Officer (mounted) 6 Gunners, 2 Drivers. Field day order.

Detachment to be in order of march. No. 1 and Drivers—stand to their horses.

1. Gunners and Drivers prepare to mount. Mount.

2. Forward at a trot. March. Left incline. Left-shoulders. Forward. Left-shoulders. Forward. Left incline. Halt.

The gun to be taken round two pickets, each 30 yards from the leaders, and 30 yards apart, and back again to original ground.

3. Action—Front.

4. Load with drill cartridge and fire one round with friction tube.

5. Cease firing. Rear limber up.

6. Gunners prepare to mount. Mount.

7. Forward at a trot. March. Gun to be taken straight through two pickets, 3 feet high, 40 yards distant, and 6 feet 8 inches apart—as soon as 15 yards clear then :—

8. Halt. Action rear.

9. Load with a second drill cartridge and fire one round.

10. Front limber up. Form the order of march. Halt.

Cartridges to be taken separately from the limber box by No. 7.

Ammunition not to be carried.

For striking any of the pickets 5 seconds to be added to the total time.

For any faults or mistakes in drill as judged by Umpire -5 seconds to be added for each.

Umpire's decision to be final. No appeal.

Prizes :

1st.—Gzowski Challenge Cup and	\$80. 3500
2nd	\$20. 2500
3rd	\$10. 1500

By order,

J. B. DONALDSON, CAPTAIN,

Secretary-Treasurer.

OTTAWA, 25th April, 1889.